Service Date: October 11, 2001

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE REGULATION BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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)	DOCKET NO. D2000.6.80
)	ORDER NO. 6425a
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ORDER PERMITTING 8/30/02 SGAT TO GO INTO EFFECT

On October 8, 2002, at a regularly scheduled work session, the Montana Public Service Commission acted on Qwest's submission for approval of it's Notice of Updated Exhibit A to Statement of Generally Available Terms and Conditions ("SGAT"), filed with the Commission on August 30, 2002.

Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 252(f)(3)(B), the Commission permits the SGAT filed by Qwest to take effect as of October 8, 2002. The Commission has not undertaken the review contemplated by 47 U.S.C. § 252(f)(2) and consequently retains authority to continue review of the SGAT under 47 U.S.C. § 252(f)(4).

DONE AND DATED this 8th day of October, 2002, by a vote of 5 to 0.

NOTE:

BY ORDER OF THE MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

	GARY FELAND, Chairman
	JAY STOVALL, Vice Chairman
	BOB ANDERSON, Commissioner
	MATT BRAINARD, Commissioner
	BOB ROWE, Commissioner
ATTEST:	
Rhonda J. Simmons Commission Secretary	
(SEAL)	

Any interested party may request the Commission to reconsider this decision.

A motion to reconsider must be filed within ten (10) days. See ARM 38.2.4806